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SUBJECT: ROK TEST FLIGHT OF UAV HAESONG-II SCHEDULE FOR
NOVEMBER 20

Classified By: POL M/C James L. Wayman. Reasons 1.4 (b/d)

[1](#)1. (S) On November 16, Post received notification from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade (MOFAT) that the ROK planned to test the Haesong-II UAV on November 19, 2009. The text of the notification is below:

[1](#)2. (S) "In accordance with the ROK's New Missile Guidelines adopted on January 17, 2001, the ROKG would like to provide the USG with the relevant information on the planned test flight of a UAV as follows:

- (a) Name of the UAV: Haesong-II
- (b) Notification category: Part 3 of the Guidelines
- (c) The 10th flight-test date/place: November 19, 2009/Anheung Proving Ground"

[1](#)3. (S) In light of the POTUS visit scheduled for November 19, Post requested that the flight test be delayed by one day. After consulting with the Ministry of Defense (MND), Park So-yeon, MOFAT ROK-U.S. Security Cooperation Division, confirmed that the new date of the flight test will be Friday, November 20, 2009.

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